

## Interview with William Smith

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DePue: During that first winter, what would you say was the worst of it?

W. Smith: Starvation. I mean, besides the cold. It was zero to sixty below. The cold weather and no food was about the worst because the guys died like flies. Some of them just laid down and died. No excuse.